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NOT BY BCG AND THEIR USE AS DIAGNOSTIC REAGENTS AND

VACCINES

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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated April 10, 2007, be extended for one month to and including August 10, 2007.

The required fee is \$60. Please apply this and any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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